CELEBRATING THE LIFE OF

EVA MAE PRICE

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PALLBEARERS

IN THE BEGINNING

Friday, February 25, 1994

10:00 A.M.

Palm Lane Church of God In Christ

11730 South Central Avenue

Los Angeles, California

Pastor Ray Hawkins

Officiant

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"Perhaps"

Perhaps you sent a lovely card;
or sat quietly in a chair.
Perhaps you sent a floral piece,
if so, we saw it there.
Perhaps you spoke the kindest words
as any friend could say.
Perhaps you were not there at all,
just thought of us this day.
Whatever you did to console our hearts,
we thank you dearly, whatever the part.

— The Family

May 3, 1919 — February 19, 1994

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"The dead in Christ shall rise first." — *I Thessalonians 4:16b*

May 3, 1919 was a joyous day at the home of Marshall and Lucreasia Herron, who resided in Oak Vale, Mississippi, as God blessed them with their first born, whom they named EVA MAE. The Herron family was never the same thereafter.

EVA MAE received her early educational training in local schools in Oak Vale, where she came to know and confess Jesus as personal Savior. They later moved to Prentiss, Mississippi where she was an active member of the Palestine Baptist Church. At the tender age of 17, she married her first love, Moses Lee Price (who preceded her in death). They were happily married for 55 years, now they're reunited for eternity.

To this union four (4) girls were born. Lillie Mae, Lessie Mae, Helen Marie and Martha Lee (who preceded both in death). In 1946 the family settled in Los Angeles, CA where Sis. Price worked for many years as a domestic engineer until her retirement in the 60's.

She served faithfully in several local churches during her tenure here. Her first church in Los Angeles was New Hope C.O.G.I.C. under the pastorate of Elder J.T. Miller, later at Palm Lane C.O.G.I.C. pastored by Bishop Harold Conedy, Sr. until her husband Elder Moses Price began pastoring Knee-way C.O.G.I.C. until his health caused him to resign the pastorate and both returned to Palm Lane who was now pastored by Elder Ray Hawkins. She loved the Lord, her church family and her pastor. She labored well until the Lord saw the need to call her from labor to reward. She will certainly be missed by all.

She served faithfully as long as health permitted in several capacities, including, being a "Mother" of the church, District Missionary of the "Liberty District" and a great prayer warrior. Needless to say "Sis. Price" as she was affectionately referred to, lived an exemplary life.

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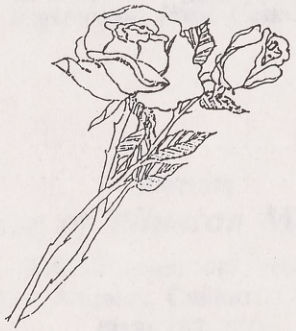
Her voice has been silenced therefore; her favorite words, i.e., "hey bae"; "thank you Lord"; "Lord don't you know?"; "don't you see?"; et. al. - will become fond memories. She also had other idiosyncrasies, i.e. - she would never say "goodbye", she choose rather to say "God bless"; "good day"; or "good night". She choose not to say "goodbye" February 19, 1994, she choose rather to simply fall asleep in the arm's of Jesus sometime during the night - saying "goodbye" was just not a part of her personality. The grandchildren and others who knew her well often referred to her as "TID".

She will definitely be missed by all whose lives she touched, as well as relatives who are left to cherish her memory including daughters: Lillie Mae Price-Hudson, Lessie Mae Price-Lawrence, and Helen Marie Price-White; sons-in-law, Rev. Waddell Hudson and Joe White, all of Los Angeles; brothers, brothers-in-law, sister and sisters-in-law: Roberta Herron Mangum, Edgar Herron (Mildred); Clara Herron Tyler (Elder Harvey Tyler); Hezzie Price all of Los Angeles, Lula Mae Herron Arnold of Chicago, IL; Willie Mae Price-White of Jackson, MS and Nathanel Herron (Barbara) of Long Beach, CA; seven (7) grandchildren, eight (8) great grandchildren and a multitude of nieces, nephews, cousins and other relatives and friends including PALM LANE C.O.G.I.C. CHURCH FAMILY.



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ORDER OF SERVICE

PROCESSIONAL ..... *Family and Friends*

SONG — "Amazing Grace" ..... *Combined Choirs*

SCRIPTURES

Old Testament - Psalm 90:1-10 ..... *Reverend John Elliott, Sr.*

New Testament - Revelation 21:1-7 ..... *Elder Hilary Conedy*

PRAYER ..... *Elder E.E. Cleveland, Jr.*

SONG ..... *Combined Choirs*

"I Woke Up This Morning With My Mind On Jesus"

ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS, CARDS, TELEGRAMS, Etc. ..... *Mother L. Brown*

RESOLUTIONS ..... *(Others) & Palm Lane C.O.G.I.C.*

REMARKS (2 Minutes Please) ..... *Friends, Relatives and Ministers*

SPECIAL REMARKS ..... *Elder E.E. Cleveland, Jr. & Elder Hilary Conedy*

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SONG — "I'll Fly Away" ..... *Combined Choirs*

EULOGY ..... *Pastor Ray Hawkins*

RECESSIONAL

Active Pallbearers

THE MEN OF:
LIBERTY CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
PALM LANE CHURCH OF GOD IN CHRIST
PROGRESS BAPTIST CHURCH

Honorary Pallbearers

Grandsons and Nephews

Interment

Inglewood Park Cemetery

Directors
House of Winston Mortuary
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Los Angeles, California 90044
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Mary Louise Winston, President

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Home at Last

There are no words, what can I say
At last her sweet soul winged its way
To peace and freedom in the sky
Where never again will she suffer or cry
It's all a part of God's Great Plan . . .
Which is a mystery to man
We cannot understand His ways
Nor can we count our earthly days
But who are we to question and doubt
God knoweth well what He's about
He knew she longed to "go to sleep"
Where only angels a vigil keep
The pain of living grew too great
No longer could she stay and wait
She did not want to leave you, dear
But she had finished her work down here
So she closed her eyes and when she awoke
These are the words the Master spoke,
"Welcome, dear child, you are Home at last
And now the burden of living is past
There's work for you in My Kingdom, dear
And you are needed and wanted here."
So weep not, she's just gone on ahead
Don't think of her as being dead.
She's out of sight for a little while
And you'll miss her touch, and her little smile
But you know she is safe in the home above
Where there is nothing but Peace and Love
And, surely, you would not deny her peace
And you're glad she has found release
Think of her there as a soul that is free,
And Home at last, where she wanted to be.

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